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PATENT APPLICATION
(37 CFR 1.63)**

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Attorney Docket Number	34826 - 1007
First Named Inventor	MCNULTY, Stephen A.
COMPLETE IF KNOWN	
Application Number	09 / 925,976
Filing Date	08/09/2001
Art Unit	2131
Examiner Name	

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original and first inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR COMPUTER STORAGE SECURITY

(Title of the Invention)

the specification of which

is attached hereto

OR

was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) 08/09/2001 as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number 09/925,976 and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

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I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or (f), or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent, inventor's or plant breeder's rights certificate(s), or any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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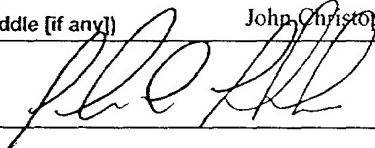
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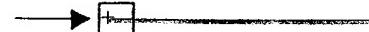
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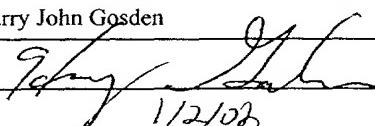
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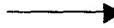
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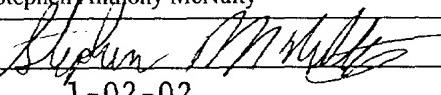
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